### 2017

### M.A.

# 1st Semester Examination

#### **HISTORY**

PAPER-HIS-101

Subject Code-06

Full Marks: 50

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

## Answer all questions

1. Make a comparative assessment of the role of fact and interpretation in writing of history.

Or

Evaluate the contributions of Leopold Von Ranke to the writing of history.

2. Make a review of G.M. Trevelyon's idea of history, with special reference to social history writing.

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Critically discuss the salient features of George Lefebvre's writing on the French Revolution.

3. How does Eric Hobsbawm's views open up a new dimension in history writing?

Or

What is the main trust of Raphael Samuel's People's history writing? What are the factors that influenced him in this initiative?

4. Discuss the various views expressed till recent times on the nature of the revolt of 1857.

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Or

What are the different approaches of the growth of Indian nationalism as analysed by the historians?

[Internal Assessment : 10 Marks]